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Aug. 21-d&wtf

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$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine. Feb3-d&wly

HOME AND FARM.

—Do not allow your fruit trees to overbear. It will pay you to thin out the fruit.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—Fish-farming has become popular with the farmers of Georgia, and there are already 2,500 ponds in that State which have been stocked with German carp.

—It is estimated that 63 per cent of the people of this country are farmers. The percentage used to be about 70, but the increase in manufacturing has caused the decrease.

—Some one writing to the *Minnesota Farmer* says that a poor milking cow never dies of milk fever; it is only the great milkers which die from this ailment, therefore we should try to lessen the flow of milk.

—"Farmer" asks why his clover should have "frozen out" last winter. Probably because he pastured his field until it was grazed to the bare ground, leaving no aftermath to act as a protection to the roots.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—Boiled Indian Pudding: One pint of thick sour milk, two and one-half cups of Indian meal, one heaping teaspoonful of salt, one even teaspoonful of soda, and add sweetening if you like. I prefer sugar and cream for the sauce.—*The Household.*

—The lesson of last year's dry season was that land should be drained and cultivated deep. The lesson of this year's wet weather is that land should be drained and the soil made deep so as to carry away the water. Draining will double the value of nearly every acre of land in Illinois.—*Journal of Commerce.*

—Baking-plates and pudding-dishes that have been used for a long time need a thorough cleaning occasionally. To do this put them in a kettle of water in which you have put a spoonful of wood-ashes to one quart of water. Let them boil in this for an hour, and if any grease has been absorbed through cracks in the glazing it will be removed, and piecrust baked on a plate thus cleaned will be sweet and not unwholesome.—*N. Y. Post*

—It is a mistake to suppose that a tile drain two and a half or three feet deep will drain a hollow ten or twenty feet distant. Perhaps it may slowly, but in a very wet season, as this has been thus far, wheat and clover will kill out at such a distance from a drain. If the ditch is made four feet deep it will drain a wider surface; but a better way is to make a side drain to the places where water is known to stand in a wet time. —*Indiana Sentinel.*

Death to Flies in One-half Hour.

Heretofore one of the greatest of our trials in summer has been in the keeping of our dining-room and kitchen free from flies. It is a rule with us that nets shall be in all opened windows and that the net doors must be kept closed, and there is no deviation from this. But careful as we might be the pests would get in. We have brushed until shoulders and arm were lame and hands blistered; have used various fly-catchers, sticky fly paper and poison fly paper, discarding the latter several times on account of its poisonous properties and disgusting effects, but returning to it because we did not know what else to do. We will say that our house is very sunny, light and airy—we have no blinds, and can not darken the rooms and so keep the flies out. A short time ago we became alive to the necessity of throwing away once for all the fly paper, having been convinced that it was impregnated with a solution of arsenic. Knowing the efficacy of Persian insect powder—Pyrethrum roseum or cinerefolium—in destroying insect life, we closed the windows and doors of the dining-room, sprinkled a large handful of this powder upon a few live coals and retired to await results. The smoke was quite dense for two hours, yet at the end of that time not one fly was dead, they were somewhat weak in the legs, but soon revived.

After this failure we next purchased a small insect powder bellows for one dollar, half filled the receptacle with powder and blew it all around the room, making a fine dust. Soon a buzzing was heard, as when a fly is caught in a spider's web, only louder, and in one-half hour every fly in the room was dead. The fly season is now robbed of its terrors for us, for a few puffs of the bellows each morning before sweeping keeps our rooms free from flies. The powder costs 60 cents per pound at wholesale, but with care will last some time, for *gentle* puffs of the powder answer every purpose, as it is only necessary to blow it once where the flies can breath it.—*Cor. Rural New Yorker.*

—Complaints are still heard in Butte County, California, of poisoning from contact with oleander. It is very dangerous, and though some consider it pretty, still it should not be tolerated

New Picture Card Stock

The REPUBLICAN has just received a nobby lot of highly illuminated chromo business cards, to which we invite the attention of merchants and others. The selection embraces a great variety of styles, such as have not been introduced here, and each is "as pretty as a picture." Call at the REPUBLICAN counting room and inspect the stock. dtf

An Entire Success

It has been proved by the most reliable testimony that THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL is an entire success in curing the most inveterate cases of rheumatism, neuralgia, lame back, and wounds of every description. 24

Agents Can Make

$5 to $10 a day selling our "Ironing Board and Plaiter Combined." No capital required, and quick sales. We want agents in every town in the United States.

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For cholic in infants, teething, summer complaint, flux or cholera infantum, Brunker's Carminative Balsam is king of all remedies; it defies all competition. For adults, in dysentery, flux, cramp colic, congestion, neuralgia of stomach or Asiatic cholera its reputation is unparalleled. Ten thousand bottles sold in Indianapolis in 1881. Sold in 25 cent, 50 cent and $1 bottles. For sale by all druggists. Wholesale agents—Richardson & Co., St. Louis; Tolman & King, Chicago; Stewart & Barry, Indianapolis; Dr. A. J. Stoner, Decatur, Ill. July 29—d&w8m

DEBILITATED persons and sufferers from wasting diseases such as consumption, scrofula, kidney affections, will be greatly benefitted by using Brown's Iron Bitters. 20 d&w

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The BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen.

Jan. 31, '82-to March 1, '83.

FACTS AND FIGURES.

—In Buenos Ayres it takes ten dollars in paper money to buy one dollar in gold. The paper currency there is depreciated.

—Indiana statistics show that the liquor traffic cost the State, in twenty years ended December 31 last, for criminal expenses alone, $14,762,359.46.

—At present there are no less than twenty-one passenger steamships plying between New York and Europe, and, with one or two exceptions, each has a vessel weekly.

—The intense heat of summer in Australia far surpasses that of the United States—even that of Arizona. A recent note in *Nature* records a temperature there of 180 degrees in 1882, 172 in 1880, 153 in 1871, 159 in 1862, and 158 in 1860.

—A year ago a Laramie Plains cattle man was offered a Utah herd and ranch for $70,000, which offer was rejected. Since that the Utah man sold $45,000 worth out of the herd, then sold the ranch for $4,500, afterward put $9,000 more into the herd, and then sold it for $140,000 —*Chicago Times*

—It is expected that the four manufactories of Montgomery, Vt., will turn out four hundred thousand butter tubs the present season, of all sizes. A larger proportion of ten, twenty and thirty pound tubs are called for than usual. The material for hoops has become exhausted in that region, and is now brought from Michigan.

—The estimate of the revenue of the Dutch East Indies for the current year shows a deficit of $3,835,000 at least. Last year the deficit was estimated at $1,000,000, but proved to be $5,000,000. For the six years ending with 1882, the Minister of Finance put it at $12,500,000. The Acheen troubles, not over even now, have been no joke for Holland, where living is very dear and taxation heavy.

—The survey of Lake Winnipiseogee, N. H., by the lake company gives the following results Islands containing over 1,000 acres, one, 500 to 1,000 acres, two, 100 to 500 acres, seven, fifty to 100 acres, six; ten to fifty acres, twenty-five; less than ten acres, 226, total islands having vegetation, 267. The entire distance around the lake and Long Bay is 182 miles, and the water surface is sixty-nine square miles, 531 acres, and 3 03 square rods

Sleepers' Discomforts in Germany.

One of the first complaints heard from Americans on arriving in Germany is against the beds, for German beds, as a rule, are short—so very short that a man who is unfortunate enough to measure six feet has to double himself up between the head and foot board, like the letter A in the alphabet. The misery of this uncomfortable position would not be necessary were the beds of a decent width for with a wide bed, even if it was not of sufficient length, he could lay "cornering," or he could turn over on his side and double up without projecting his knees and his feet into the cold air outside of the mattress German beds, almost without exception, are single—yes, very single—so much so that the occupant if he attempts to deviate an inch or two from a horizontal position finds himself sprawling on the floor. The sheets, bed-blankets, etc, are made just to fit the beds and are never wide enough to "tuck in." They are seldom but an inch or two wider than the mattress, and it requires the skill and experience of an acrobat, especially with a foreigner, to keep the bed-clothes evenly balanced over him And then the grumblers grumble at the pillows, which they declare are either too large or too small, too hard or too soft, and that the only people who know how to make comfortable pillows, and who have them, are the Americans Many of the hotels and boarding-houses here adopt the French pillow, which is about half the size of the mattress and stuffed out so hard and plump that the only benefit the tired traveler gets from it is to have it serve as a rest for his back while he sleeps in a sitting position. The majority of pillows, however, found in Germany are made wedge-shaped, of the same material as the mattress, and come to a point near the center of the bed. On these, the sleeper, if he sleeps, rests on an inclined plane, and looks like a body on one of the narrow planks in the morgue at Paris, with a sheet thrown over it I think it would be difficult to find a bed in this country that would measure over five feet ten, or six feet at most between the head and foot board, and as for a wide double bed there is probably none in all Germany, without it may be the one I saw at the museum in Munich, which is said to have belonged to some King or baron of olden time. *Dresden Cor. Springfield (Mass.) Republican*

MRS R. C. HAMSHER has returned from her purchasing trip to Chicago, and she now has a magnificent and complete stock of stylish fall and winter millinery goods, including all the latest novelties. Also a full line of hair goods. Call at No. 21 Merchant street and inspect the new purchases. oct19-dtf&w1m

Go to your druggist for *Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes.* For brightness and durability of color are unequaled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds. Directions in English and German. Price 15 cents

May 23, 1882-d&wtf

City Book Store.

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Oct. 18 d&wtf — No. 12 Merchant St.

MISS EMMA WILLIAMS has just returned from Chicago with a new stock of Fall Millinery. Call and see her—Prairie street, 2d door from Water.

Oct. 10-d&w2w

CALL at Miss E. Williams' for latest styles in Hair Goods; also a new lot of Stamping Patterns.

Oct. 10-d&w2w

Durable, Stylish, Perfect Fitting, Low Priced Clothing at CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

Sep7-d&wtf

LADIES' Kid Button Boots, soft, light sole, at BARBER & BAKER'S.

April 15-d&wtf

BEWARE of imitations of L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s Corn Cure. None genuine without their name on every bottle. It is warranted to cure every time. Price 25 cents. Sept6-dtf

Fell Down.

Mr. Albert Anderson, York street, Buffalo, fell down stairs and severely bruised his knee. A few applications of DR. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL entirely cured him. 24

SHELLABARGER'S Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. Dec18-d&wtf

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Stock being Selected and Handled by Practical Workmen.

We respectfully announce to the TRADES, and PUBLIC GENERALLY, that we have opened on EAST WILLIAM STREET, immediately EAST OF THE NEW MASONIC TEMPLE, an extensive assortment of materials suitable for

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Such as—Leads, Oils, Putty, Turpentine, Varnishes of all kinds, Japan Dryers, Lithogen—Wood Fillers Brushes of all grades, sizes and quality. Colors: Dry—in OIL—DISTEMPER—and JAPAN; in a word, everything in their line. Also, a full assortment of *ARTISTS' MATERIALS*, viz Tube Colors—Refined Oils, Canvases Palettes, Palette Knives, Plaques, Brushes, Pencils, Mahl Sticks, Crayons, French Pastel Crayons, assorted of all colors and tints Japan, Empty Boxes, etc, etc Ladies and gentleman artists, please examine stock

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Try this Vienna Bread and you will say it is the finest you have ever eaten.

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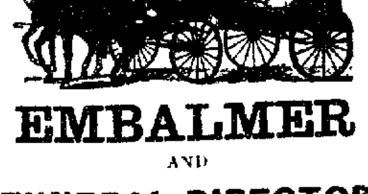

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May 27, '82-dtf.

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—AND—

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March 16—dtf

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court to the December Term, 1882.

George Peck vs Sarah Peck—In Chancery—Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non residence in the State of Illinois of the above-named defendant, Sarah Peck, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said defendant, Sarah Peck, that the complainant in said cause has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, against you, the said defendant, to the December Term, 1882, of said court. That a summons in said cause has been issued against you, the said defendant, returnable at the Court House in Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the first Monday in the month of December, 1882, as is by law required, and that said cause is still pending in said court. And unless you, the said defendant, plead, answer or demur to said bill, it will be taken as confessed.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

H. PASCO, Complainant's Solicitor

Oct 21, 1882—d4w

Decatur School of Elocution

MISS LENA HENKLE,

Successor to Mrs. M. L. Cain, will organize her Classes in Elocution and Dramatic Reading, in the rooms formerly occupied by Mrs. Cain, northwest corner Old Square. Calisthenics, Physical and Vocal Gymnastics Classes meet Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from two to 5 p. m. Business hours Mondays, from 2 to 5 p. m. For terms, etc., address

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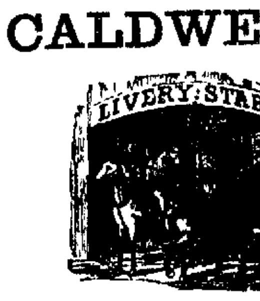

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Gentle Horses for Ladies.

Telephone in the office.

CALDWELL BROS.

April 11, 1882 dtf

County Court Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County }

In the County Court of Macon County to the November Term, A. D. 1882

Robert M Machan administrator of the estate of James Muns, deceased vs. Penny Muns Alvin Muns Maggie Brown, Mahlon Brown Sarah Gantz William H Gantz Orle Muns and Joseph M Clokey

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Maggie Brown and Mahlon Brown two of the above-named defendants, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois and summons out of said court having been issued against all of defendants above named to the sheriff of Macon county returnable to the November term A. D. 1882, of the county court of Macon county, and by said sheriff returned not found as to said Maggie Brown and Mahlon Brown, public notice is hereby given to the said last named defendants that Robert M Machan administrator of the estate of James Muns, deceased, has heretofore filed his petition in the said court as plaintiff against Penny Muns, Alvin Muns, Maggie Brown, Mahlon Brown, Sarah Gantz, William H. Gantz, Orle Muns and Joseph M Clokey as defendants, and that the said petition prays for the sale of certain real estate situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit The north east quarter of the southeast quarter of section ten, and the west half of the southwest quarter of section eleven, town seventeen north, range three east of the third principal meridian, and also the following described tract of land in said county, to wit commencing nineteen chains south of the northwest corner of section No. nineteen, township No. seventeen north, range four east of the third principal meridian, thence east eighteen chains and thirty-five links to a post on the north bank of the Sangamon river, thence down the meanderings of said river to a post on the north side of the same, including the west line of said section, thence north seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning, or so much thereof as may be necessary as the property of said James Muns, deceased, to pay the debts of the estate of said James Muns, and the said petition is now pending and undetermined in said court Now unless you, the said Maggie Brown and Mahlon Brown shall be and appear before the county court, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois at a term thereof to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur on the third Monday in November, A. D. 1882, and plead, answer or demur to the said petition, the same will be taken as confessed against you and an order of said court entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

H. W. WAGGONER Clerk

W. C. JOHNS, Attorney — oct6d4w

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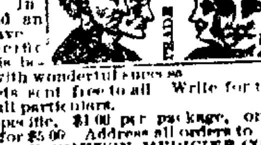

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The undersigned hereby gives notice that he will make application to the city council at its next regular meeting November 6th, 1882, for a license to retail spirituous liquors in a house situated on lot 5 of the northeast quarter, northeast quarter section fifteen 15 township sixteen 16 north range two (2) east of the 3rd principal meridian in the city of Decatur, Illinois, said building being owned by Downing & Kraft. H. W. DOWNING.

Oct 12 d2w

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The Daily Republican.

THURSDAY EVENING, OCT. 26, 1882.

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HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri't'rs.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

For State Treasurer,
GEN. JOHN C. SMITH,
Of Cook county.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
CHARLES T. STRATTAN,
Of Jefferson county.

For Congressman—14th District,
JONATHAN H. ROWELL,
Of McLean county.

For State Senator—29th District,
JASON ROGERS,
Of Macon county.

For Representatives—29th District,
JOHN T. FOSTER, of Logan co.
JOHN H. CROCKER, of Macon co.

For County Judge,
SAMUEL F. GREER.

For County Clerk,
GEORGE P. HARDY.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE M. WOOD.

For County Superintendent,
EDWIN PHILBROOK.

For Sheriff,
WILLIAM W. FOSTER.

For Coroner,
JESSE E. BENDURF

REPUBLICAN MEETINGS.

Names of Speakers to Address the Voters in Macon County.

Public meetings will be held at the following times and places, in Macon county, to be addressed by the speakers named

Macon, Friday evening, Oct 27th, F. P. Vail and Charles S. Careins.

Maroa, Friday evening, Oct 27th, Capt Joth Wilkinson, Hon Hugh Crea and others

Oreana, Saturday evening, Oct 28th, E. P. Vail and Charles S. Careins.

Niantic, Tuesday evening, Oct 31st, Capt. J H Rowell and Hon. Jason Rogers.

Decatur, Wednesday evening, Nov. 1, Capt. J H Rowell

Harristown, Wednesday evening, Nov 1, J. V. Beekman and J. A. Brown

Hess School House, Oakley township, Wednesday evening, Nov. 1, W C Johns and J. M. Clokey.

Long Creek School House, Thursday evening, Nov. 2, J. V. Beekman and W. C. Johns.

Wheatland, Thursday evening, Nov 2, E P. Vail and J A. Brown.

Blood, Friday evening, Nov 3d, J. V. Beekman and W. C. Johns

Forsyth, Friday evening Nov 3d J. A. Brown and I R. Mills.

Town Hall, Austin township, Saturday evening, Nov 4th, E P Vail and W C. Johns.

Coulter's School House, Friends Creek township, Saturday evening Nov 4th J V Beekman and J. H. Crocker

Maroa, Monday evening, Nov 6th, J M Clokey and Chas. S Careins

Either Hon. Jason Rogers, Hon. J. H Crocker or Hon John T. Foster will be present at each of the above meetings By order of Central Com

M. F. KANAN, Chairman

JNO. A. BARNES, Sec'y.

No swapping of votes, Brother Republican. Only Democrats can be benefitted by the trade.

From 300 to 500 is about the majority that the Republican county ticket will receive It may go above that, but not below.

"John H. Crocker 13 votes, John T Foster. 13 votes," is the way the Republican ticket will read on the question of representatives, and it ought to be voted that way by every member of the party in Macon county. If the vote is cast in that way, both will be elected.

If George P. Hardy is elected county clerk, (as he will be, dead sure), he will be second to none that ever held the office in Macon county, in point of efficiency, attention to business, and in obliging demeanor to all who have business to transact with him.

The Republican ticket, beginning with congressman, has three soldier candidates, the Democratic ticket has one But the Bourbon roosters cackle over that one solitary soldier, just as though they were entitled to credit for having done something out of the usual line, and we don't know but they have

Joe Ray's party is not in favor of a soldier for sheriff It is not in favor of a soldier for county superintendent It is not in favor of a soldier for congressman. But it thinks a soldier ought to be elected county treasurer—a soldier who has opposed the election of more than three fourths of all the soldiers who have been candidates for office in Macon county in the last fifteen years

No county ever had a better man at the head of its probate court than Macon county has been blessed with for the last twenty years. The election of Judge Greer for five successive terms is proof positive that the people are satisfied with his conduct of the office, and they will again testify of their confidence in him on the 7th of November, by choosing him for another term by a rousing majority.

The "fifty cents a head" assessment made by the Democratic bosses does not seem to have yielded much revenue as yet to the committee's treasury, judging from the frantic efforts that are being used now to create a boom for the Bourbon county ticket. The original plan contemplated a large slush fund and a still hunt. The necessities of the situation have left nothing to depend on but a big lot of noise. And it won't win, either.

Isn't everybody doing well? Aren't farmers making money? Aren't laborers getting good wages? Then who wants a change? Who wants free trade which will reverse the present order of things?

In their new-found love for the soldier the Bourbons find themselves confronted by some bothersome remembrances in the way of their war record. Now here is Dr. Miller, for instance, whom they are running for the legislature. He was a member of the famous (or rather infamous) legislature of 1863, which Governor Yates patriotically prorogued and thus deprived of the power for committing mischief, and was one of the leading spirits of the majority. He is credited with having made a speech about that time, in which he proclaimed the doctrine that "opposition to the war is loyalty to the government." And, by the way, that was just about the same time when Joe Ray was at the front taking part in what his present political associates were declaring to be a failure. It must require a considerable degree of christian charity upon the part of Joe to enable him to keep his temper when he thinks of the great gulf which separated him from Dr. Miller and Adlai Stevenson in 1864, and they must be lost in wonder and amazement when they realize that they are now running for office on the same ticket with a man who was doing his best to make a success of the "abolition war."

A Tale of Twenty Cities.

New York city, Philadelphia, Chicago, Brooklyn, Boston, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Pittsburg, San Francisco, Newark, Jersey City, Cleveland, Buffalo, Providence, Milwaukee, Louisville, Detroit, New Orleans and Washington are the twenty leading manufacturing cities of the Union, and have nearly 70,000 manufactories, kept busy by the labor of 900,000 persons, at a cost of some $900,000,000 expended every year. If Democratic free-trade prevailed, those factories must close; that money would be expended otherwise than in giving employment to labor, and what would become of those 900,000 souls? Indirectly, but not less surely, millions of other laborers would be disastronsly affected by the stoppage; and then, with ruin staring them in the face it might be too late to appeal to the Republican party for that protection which it had always thrown about the workingman. "Forewarned is forearmed." Let the men who depend upon the industries of the land for support be wise in time, and vote for the wide awake, seven o'clock workingman's party.

All the signs that have been observed and trusted since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, seem to be unanimous in portending a severely cold winter. The latest indication comes from the corn-field, where it has been discovered the husks cling very tightly to the ear this fall. This is considered to be a sign of cold weather that is absolutely infallible.

Even a president's wife cannot have her will, it seems, unless she stays alive and looks after it. This we admit, from the fact that the Brooklyn cousins of the wife of ex-President Fillmore have contested her will and are quarreling over the $125,000 she left, with strict and explicit charges as to how it should be disposed of.

Isn't it curious that Irishmen cross the briny waters to escape the ruinous free trade policy of England, and the instant that they get here endorse it by supporting the democratic party, which is for free trade.

Don't you forget it, that the third annual ball of the Decatur Cigar Maker's Union, No. 20, will be given at Guard's armory, on Friday evening, Oct. 27th. Tickets, admitting gentleman and ladies, $1.00 each. Good music has been engaged. 12dtd

Revitalizing the blood is absolutely necessary for the cure of general debility, weakness, lassitude, &c. The best enricher of the blood is Brown's Iron Bitters. 20 d&w

Remember that Will S. Ferguson will give to every one purchasing a stove at his hardware store on North Water street a ticket representing one chance in a Garland base burner or a Champion Cook stove, to be given away on Feb. 1, 1883 [20 d6

Drop in on us *informally* at any time. We are always at home, and promise you before hand a hearty welcome.

CHEAP CHARLEY,
Leader of the Clothing Trade.
Sep7-d&wtf

Wanted.

First-class ladies' clothes ironers at Norman's Steam Laundry. None but the very best need apply. 16-dtf

Bloomington, Ill., Oct. 25. At an early hour this morning, Wm. M. Richardson, an old and at one time a leading dry goods merchant of this city, was found in his room a ghastly bleeding corpse, having been hastened to his end by one of the most horrible of suicides. He was found stretched out upon the floor beside his bed with a frightful gaping wound across his throat, his head almost severed from his body, while close at hand, upon the floor, lay a keen razor, the evidence of his fearful death. Deceased was 70 years of age, and was until quite recently Government store-keeper, his official duties being confined to the immense Pekin, Ill., distilleries.

Clinton, Ill., Oct. 25.—The Hon. A. E. Stevenson, fusion candidate of the Greenback Democratic party in the fourteenth congressional district, spoke on the political issues of the day to-night in DeWitt hall to an audience of about 300 persons. His speech was of the bread-and water kind, and was too thin to wash, and a good many of his audience became disgusted and left the hall. He neglected to mention the fact that he was the candidate of both the Democratic and Greenback parties, and only referred to the Democratic party, ignoring the Greenback party throughout his entire address, which, to say the most, was an entire failure.

Facts Worth Considering.

Bloomington Pantagraph.

When the Democrats were in power the last time, under Pierce's and Buchanan's management, all kinds of wages were less than half what they are now. Wood chopping was 37½ to 50 cents per cord; common wages, 62½ cents a day in summer and 50 cents in winter; mowing and binding, 62½ cents to 75 ceets a day; cradling wheat, 75 cents to $1 a day; cradling oats, 62½ to 75 cents a day; boss carpenters and blacksmiths, $1.25 a day; journeymen mechanics, 75 cents to $1 a day; farm hands $7 to $12 per month. Prices of living then were somewhat lower than now, because there was scarcely anything that would sell for cash. The old Democratic currency was bad, always more or less at a discount, and sometimes bushels of it went to the paper mills as old rags. Up in Michigan they used it to chink the cracks of log cabins. Interest on money run from 24 to 48 cents per annum unless on slow notes for bad debts. Butter then was worth from 6¼ to 12½ cents a pound, and pork 12½ cents the year round. Wheat was from 75 cents to $1 a bushel; corn 20 to 25 cents; cotton goods higher than now, and coarse woolens about the same as now, with cloth goods as "cheap as dirt." There was no market for fruit then, and fall apples were left to rot. while winter apples were from 6¼ to 12½ cents a bushel. Those were the "good old days of Democracy," everlasting dicker and perpetual bankruptcy—in the days when an egg could be swapped off for a drink of whisky, and a coonskin for a plug of tobacco.

But a few brief years of Republican control and all is changed as if from darkness to daylight. Then there was no market for anything, while now there is a market for everything at good prices. The wildcat money, taken at par in the evening and worthless rags the next morning, is replaced by greenbacks, gold and silver legal tenders, and national bank currency, better than gold every day in the year, and acceptable at par the world over. The prices of wages have become more than double, and in some respects treble to what they were then. Everything produced finds a ready sale for cash, and when bankrupts occur they are generally traced to dishonesty rather than to broken banks, as formerly.

The old Democratic money was death to trade, death to wages, death to commerce, death to manufactures; but the new Republican money, which the Democrats have always held in contempt, has wrought a change, and given the nation a new life and prosperity, which everybody sees, feels and enjoys

Now, what is the duty of the voter? He has tried Democracy, and it was always found wanting. It was immensely sociable, too sociable, but it had not intelligence enough to discern the wants of the people. It would always rather see the nation in rags, with plenty of whisky and tobacco, than see it cleaned up, well dressed, prosperous, full of cash and enterprising The way is plain a vote for Democracy is a vote for the "good old days of wildcat money and coon skin dicker," and cold comfort to manufacturing enterprises; but, on the other hand, a vote for Republicanism is simply a vote to keep up the present good order and prosperity of the country.

The Labor Lyceum association of New York city was an organization holding forth on Myrtle avenue They designed to build a church, which they named "The Church of Our Savior." In order to get the funds, they placed boxes labelled "Contribution Boxes" all around on the floor Every time a member deposited five cents in one of the contribution boxes he received a ticket good for a drink at the bar, which stood in one corner. He took it there, received his drink of beer, and was happy in the thought that he had contributed so much to the gospel and to the church. Unfortunately, the police did not look upon this benevolent scheme in the proper light. They regarded it as a plan to beat the city out of its license, and they accordingly descended upon the brethren and gathered them in. The "Church of Our Savior" is still an unsolved problem.

When one reflects on the fact that from the birth of the republican greenback to the day of resumption, when it had grown to the full stature and value of gold and silver manhood, the democratic party has been its bitterest enemy, and upon the further fact that from the time when the democratic Representative Pickens declared in the house (1836) that "if laborers ever obtain the political power of a country it is, in fact, in a state of revolution" down to the days when southern democrats declared that "slavery, white or black, is right and necessary," and the Charleston *Mercury* protested that "the great evil of northern free society is that it is burdened with a servile class of mechanics and laborers unfit for self government, yet clothed with all the attributes and powers of citizens," to the present, the democratic party north and south has ever opposed with determination the principle of protecting and elevating free labor.

A writer in the *Phrenological Journal* avows that the deficient chest development in American women arises from the fact that girls are not allowed to whistle. But girls are allowed to sing, and the chest is expanded three times as much in singing as it is in whistling. We fear the string of the corset-maker is a mightier factor in this direction than all the whistling theories in the universe.

When the democratic party tried to uphold slavery and degrade labor, was it the friend of the workingman? When it is now trying to put labor in the United States on an equality with the panper labor of Europe, is it any more his friend?

Men's fine low shoes, all styles, at 15-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER'S

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Washington, October 25.—Arthur Payne, for whom a warrant was issued in connection with the attempt to bribe Juror Brown, of the star-route jury, has been arrested and will be arraigned in the police court this morning.

When brought into court, bail was fixed at $2,000. The government intends to have a full hearing in the police court of all the circumstances in the case, so the public may judge the merits of the prosecution. It is believed the defendants will waive examination when called for hearing, and let the case go directly to the grand jury.

The committee appointed to select the International Sunday School lessons for the next course met at the Riggs house, and will continue in session two days. The committee will select the lessons for 1884, the golden texts, topics and lessons, plans of which will be submitted to the London Sunday School union, representing the Sunday schools of Great Britain, and upon their approval will become the international lessons. The importance of their work, and the interest manifested in the result of their deliberations, makes this meeting one of the most eventful in the religious world. They legislate for 84,000 schools in this country, with a membership of 7,000,000 and 900,000 teachers, while a total of nearly 15,000,000 persons throughout the world use their lessons.

The report that the entire Tennessee delegation in the House of Representatives would be thrown out, owing to an error in the apportionment, seems to be unfounded. The elected Representatives would come to Congress and be admitted on a prima facie case. It might then devolve on Congress to determine the legality of the elections. There is not even corroboration of the rumor that an error does exist.

The *National Republican*, speaking of the election of Mr. Dolph as Senator from Oregon, says that his election makes it certain that the Republicans will have a majority in the Senate after the 4th of March next. Hopes are entertained, says the *Republican*, of displacing Democrats for Republicans from New Jersey, Delaware, North Carolina and Tennessee. But if the Republicans are disappointed with respect to all these states, they are still certain of a Republican Senator from Illinois in place of David Davis. With a Republican from Illinois the Senate will stand, 38 Republicans, 36 Democrats and 2 Independents or Readjusters.

Secretary Lincoln will soon move into his new quarters on the north front of the War and Navy building The upper floor is already practically finished, and is occupied by the clerks recently appointed under the law passed during the last session of Congress. Next to the room which will be occupied by Secretary Lincoln is an office which will be fitted up for the Assistant Secretary of War, when he shall have been appointed.

Stillwater, Minn., Oct. 25.—Last night a farmer named Klingbite, feared as a desperate character, arose from his bed and attacked his sleeping wife with a long, sharp knife, cutting her in a horrible manner. A son of the two attempted to prevent the murder of his mother, but was himself stabbed to the heart by the fiend, and dropped dead. Another son hurried to the city and informed Sheriff Holcomb and Chief of police Shortall, who went to the scene of the ghastly tragedy. They found Klingbite hid under the eaves of his barn, in the hay, still armed. They clubbed him with a pole and attempted to drag him out. Suddenly the murderer rushed upon the officers, knife in hand. Shortall fired upon him, shooting him through the body, but this did not stop him. Holcomb felled him with a blow from his billy, and a terrible struggle followed. Holcomb was badly cut in the hand, and the desperate man was about to bury his weapon in the sheriff's body, when he missed his aim and drove it deep into the floor of the barn, the blade breaking off short The officers at last overcame him, and brought him to the jail here, where he now lies dying, the shot through his body being of a fatal nature The wounded woman is in a critical condition. Klingbite has before killed two men, and served a term in the penitentiary for each murder.

Newport, Oct. 25.—A few months ago President Arthur appointed three Commissioners to inspect a new piece of the Northern Pacific Railroad, one of whom was John P. Sanborn, of this city, who is the Speaker of the Rhode Island House of Representatives. Neither Mr. Sanborn nor his friends were aware that when he accepted the office and received remuneration for the same he ceased to be a member of the Legislature. The constitution in the meantime was looked into, and it now transpires that Newport will be obliged to fill the vacancy. Mr. Sanborn has notified City Clerk Stevens that as there was a doubt upon his title to the seat in the Legislature he refused to serve as a Representative. A new election, therefore, will be ordered at once, and, in view of Mr. Sanborn's popularity and the fact that he was ignorant of the law, he will be re-elected without opposition, and will also be re-elected Speaker of the House as soon as the Legislature is convened. This is the first case of the kind that has ever been brought to light in the history of the State.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 25.—A Port Townsend dispatch says the steamer Idaho arrived from Alaska. Business is improving at Sitka. The United States steamer Adams is now at the station. Rich placer mines have been discovered on Douglass Island. A party of prospectors arrived at Innean from Yukon River. They report mild climate and good digging. The revenue cutter Corwin arrived at Sitka October 13, from an extended cruise on the Arctic. At Kadiak the Fur Company reported a successful season. At St. Lawrence Bay over 100 decomposed bodies of natives were found. The survivors said the mortality was caused by starvation. At the north head it was learned the Indians found the body of the master of the Putnam on the ice with a revolver by his side and the skeleton of a dog and a broken sledge near. All is well at Point Barrow Signal Station. Lieut. Ray had made a sledge journey of fifty miles inland and 100 miles eastward. On the latter he discovered a large unknown river, apparently as large as the Missouri, but could not judge of the depth, owing to the ice. Indians near the signal station are showing signs of discontent. The party are well able to take care of themselves. Several whalers spoke of the catch as very small. The body of Bishop Nestor, drowned from the fur company's steamer some months ago, is recovered. The season is very open.

Washington, Oct. 25.—A statement to the effect that political affairs in New York and Pennsylvania and other states has been the subject of formal discussion at cabinet meetings is authoritatively denied by the president and members of the cabinet, who furthermore specifically say that while the usual cabinet meetings have been held for the consideration of public business, no reference whatever to political matters has been made at any meeting, and no dispatches whatever, in cipher or otherwise, have been sent from the white house to the chairman of the state committee in New York, or to anyone else on political subjects, there or elsewhere. The president's visit to New York now is for the purpose of attending to packing his private papers, books and other articles preparatory to their removal to Washington. He says with emphasis that it has nothing whatever to do with the coming election in that state, except to the extent of casting his own vote on election day. The president probably will leave Washington to morrow for New York.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 25.—The news comes from Texas that the famous Tom Ochiltree is making things lively in his canvass as an independent candidate for Congress. He is making the issue river and harbor improvement and protection to the wool-growing interest. It is admitted by the Democrats that he is very apt to win on the river issue, while in some other States Congressmen are threatened with defeat from the same source.

It has been reported from time to time that Heilman was having a hard fight for re-election in Indiana, but a prominent Republican, who has been over the district, reports that the opposition has been exaggerated, and that Heilman will not fail of election by the usual majority, which is never large, for the Republican ticket

Geneseo, Ill., Oct. 25.—This morning Junius J. Pratt, Edward N. Walsh and Albert J. Dunkle were arraigned before Judge Glenn, charged with the Kewanee bank robbery, and pleaded guilty. They were sentenced to six years' hard labor in the pennitentiary. James S. Scott, who was also an accomplice, was sentenced to four years.

Sylvester K. Makison, the Kewanee murderer, has obtained a continuance till the February term of court.

Walking Shoes for $1.00 at Barber & Baker's. April 15-d&wtf

G. A. R.
CAMP-FIRE
—AND—
FESTIVAL

Dunham Post No. 141, Grand Army of the Republic, will hold a

Camp-Fire and Festival

—At the—

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—ON—

Thursday and Friday Evenings,

November 2d and 3rd.

Dinner will be served on Thursday and Friday, and Dunham Post will formally light this Camp-Fire on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, by attending in a body and partaking of an old-fashioned army supper—hard tack, pork, beans, coffee, &c.

Various articles will be sold by vote during the festival. The proceeds are to be used for the relief of needy soldiers, their widows and children during the coming winter.

You are specially invited to come and bring your friends. oc26d&wtd

OPERA HOUSE

TUESDAY, OCT. 31st.

Late Guide and Chief of Scouts for the U. S. Army,

BUFFALO BILL!

HON. WM. F. CODY,

And his own Mammoth Combination, consisting of

25 First-Class Artists

who will appear in the New and Startling Sensational Drama written for Hon. W. F. Cody by Charles Foster, Author of "Safe at Seven," entitled

20 DAYS,

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A Band of Genuine Indian Chiefs! from the Winnebago, Sioux and Pawnee Tribes.

Also, the Beautiful and Accomplished Princess,

HE-NO-KAW,
(the first born.)

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Mr. Cody will give an Exhibition of Fancy Rifle Shooting.

Grand Vocal and Instrumental Musical Olio by Mr. Jule Keue and Miss Lole Fuller.

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MR. FRANK THOMPSON, the Great Coronet Soloist.

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Lookout for the Grand Street Parade.

Admission, 50 and 35 cts. Reserved seats 75c.

Hon. Wm. Cody, - Proprietor and Manager.
Josh. E. Ogden, - Business Manager.
Ormand H. Butler, - General Agent.
Oct. 26-dtd

Buskins, broad and soft, just the thing for old ladies, at BARBER & BAKER'S. April 15-d&wtf

Stacks of miscellaneous books just received at Wallace's book store. 18-d&w

B 4 U Buy call and C our Styles and Prices. CHEAP CHARLEY. Sep7-d&wtf

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance. No trade advertisements inserted in this column.]

STRAYED—On Sunday morning, a red and white milch cow. Information of her whereabouts will be rewarded by calling on me at Imboden's meat market. S. YOUNG. Oct. 24-d6

TO RENT—Two rooms on corner of Union and Cerro Gordo streets. Apply to Mrs. A. Tupper. oct26-w2w*

LOST—Between East Eldorado street and South Macon street, a lady's gold breastpin Finder will please return it to this office. 9-dtf

BREAD—I have moved my bakery from North Main to Cemetery street, where I will be pleased to fill all orders for bread. Will deliver bread to all parts of the city, morning and evening. Can order by telephone. Farmers will be furnished meals and lodging. july3-d&wtf. JOSEPH McCRARY.

OF INTEREST TO EVERYBODY—The neatest and most reliable upholsterer and furniture repairer in the city can always be found at Bachman Bros.' Furniture House. Leave your orders. G. P. HART. June 14—dtf

SCROLL SAWING and Turning done to order at Will C. Andress' factory, corner of Franklin and Cerro Gordo streets. May 21dtf

J. M. LOWRY, Justice of the Peace and Collecting Agent, writes and certifies the acknowledgment of deeds, mortgages, leases, releases, and other instruments neatly and correctly. Office, Powers' Block, room No. 3, Decatur, Illinois. may 18-dly

REAL ESTATE OFFICE of Kaufman & Randolph, over Decatur National Bank. Parties wanting to buy or sell property will do well to call on the above. 7—d2

SOME very desirable lots on West William street, as nice as can be found in the city, suitable for fine residences. 7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

WE have property all over the city for sale Also lots from $175 to $3,000 each. 7-2d KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

CHEAP LOTS.—For sale to parties intending to build. Apply to MONTGOMERY & SHELL, Powers' Block. marldtf

IF THIS MEETS THE EYE OF ANY ONE

Who at the present time, or in the near future, desires to know just where to purchase any kind of goods for "KEEPING HOUSE," and where you can receive REAL VALUE for EVERY DOLLAR YOU EXPEND,

LIDDLE'S

is the place, Court House Block, Four Mammoth Store Rooms, each 130 feet long, filled with the Best and Cheapest Bed Room

FURNITURE!

Dining-room Furniture, Rich Parlor Suits, Wardrobes, Book Cases, Desks, Lounges, Easy Chairs, Beds, Mattresses, Pillows, &c.

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FOR COAL AND WOOD.

GLAD TIDINGS has no superior as a cooking stove.

The CROWNING GLORY, as a Base Burner, Base Heater and Extra Front Heater, EXCELS ALL OTHER HEATERS MADE. All warranted.

China and Glass Goods, Queensware and Lamps.

Hull's Vapor Stoves,

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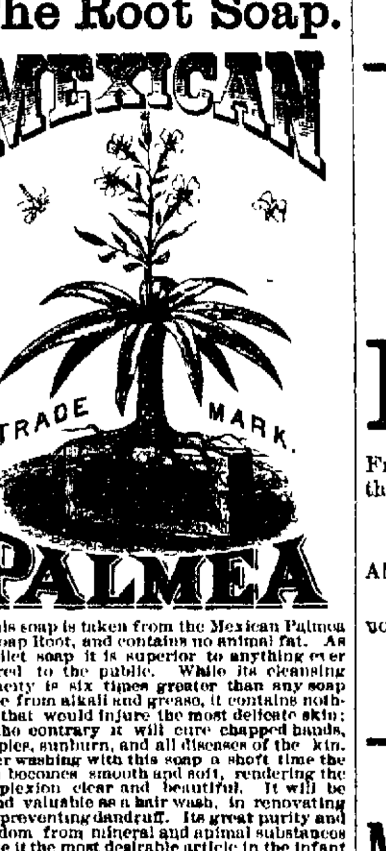
Goods carefully packed and shipped without extra charge.

It will be to the interest of all to see this stock of desirable goods.

R. LIDDLE,
COURT HOUSE BLOCK.
August 5—d&w

The Root Soap.



This soap is taken from the Mexican Palmea or Soap Root, and contains no animal fat. As a toilet soap it is superior to anything ever offered to the public. While its cleansing capacity is six times greater than any soap made from alkali and grease, it contains nothing that would injure the most delicate skin; on the contrary it will cure chapped hands, pimples, sunburn, and all diseases of the skin. After washing with this soap a short time the skin becomes smooth and soft, rendering the complexion clear and beautiful. It will be found valuable as a hair wash, in renovating and preventing dandruff. Its great purity and freedom from mineral and animal substances make it the most desirable article in the infant bath that can be produced. It is the cheapest soap you can buy, because it will go farther and give better satisfaction than any other.

Don't fail to give it a trial. For sale by all dealers. Manufactured by

B. Z. TAYLOR & CO.,
Oct. 18, 1882—dtf DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

NOTICE.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he will make application to the city council at its next regular meeting November 6th, 1882, for a license to retail spirituous liquors in a house situated on Lot 2, Block 4, Rolling Mill Addition to the City of Decatur, Illinois; said building being owned by John Gogerty.

oct25-12w J. L. GOGERTY.

DISTRESS WARRANT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court to the December Term, A. D. 1882.

George W. Bright, administrator with the will annexed, of John B. Evans, deceased, vs. James A. Kershner.—Distress for Rent.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendant, James A. Kershner, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is given given to the said James A. Kershner that the above-named George W. Bright, administrator with the will annexed, of John B. Evans, deceased, issued a Landlord's Distress Warrant against the estate of the said James A. Kershner for the sum of five hundred dollars, directed to the sheriff of Macon county, aforesaid, which said warrant has been returned executed and a copy thereof, together with an inventory of the property levied upon, filed with the undersigned, clerk of said court; that thereupon a summons issued out of said court against the said James A. Kershner, returnable on the first day of the next term of the court, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in the said county of Macon, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1882, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said James A. Kershner, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden as above, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor the said George W. Bright, administrator, etc., and so much of the property levied upon as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said Court.

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY, Attorney for Plaintiff.
Oct. 26—d3w

On Saturday Morning, 14th Inst.!

To make room we will sell the following LIST OF CLOAKS at the Lowest Prices they have ever been offered in our city. See the marked down prices:

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Sizes 34 to 40, worth $4, reduced to $ 2 00

20 UNION BEAVER—
Sizes 34 to 44, worth $6, reduced to 3 00

18 UNION BEAVER—
Sizes 32 to 40, worth $8, reduced to 5 00

33 ASSORTED BEAVER—
Sizes 32 to 44, worth $10, reduced to 6 00

27 ALL WOOL BEAVER—
Sizes 32 to 44, worth $12, reduced to 7 50

10 ALL WOOL—Very Handsome—
Sizes 34 to 44, worth $16, reduced to 10 00

2 DIAGONAL BEAVER—
Size 36 only, worth $20, reduced to 10 00

F. L. HAYS & CO.

Oct. 12 d&wtf

We carry the Largest Assortment of

WATCHES, CLOCKS.

JEWELRY, SILVERWARE,

And NOVELTIES in our line in Decatur. Our stock this fall is very large, and embraces many Styles found nowhere else in this city.

OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST

And all Goods sold will be

Guaranteed Just as Represented.

☞ Do not buy anything in our line until you have seen our stock and learned our prices

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DECATUR'S RELIABLE JEWELERS.

Oct. 20, 1881—d&w 3mo

HATS, GLOVES

AND

FALL UNDERWEAR.

I have a Splendid Line of the above goods Don't fail to call and see them

S. T. KEELER, Hatter,

Sept. 26 dtf 20 EAST MAIN STREET

CITY BOOK STORE.

EVERY SIZE, STYLE AND QUALITY OF

BLANK BOOKS!

From the smallest Pass Book to medium Ledgers and Journals, cheap as the cheapest.

Always in stock a full supply of School Books, new and second hand

Family Bibles, Pocket Bibles, Photograph Albums and Autograph Albums.

Picture Frames, all sizes, styles and qualities, made to order on short notice.

A. J. WALLACE,

Sept. 19 d&wtf 12 Merchant Street.

GEO. P. BLUME'S

NEW OFFICE IS NOW OPEN!

Last door north, in Opera Block, and opposite new Masonic temple

The White, the Diamond, the Stewart Singer,

And other First-Class Machines.

SUPPLIES FOR ALL MACHINES!

Oil, 5 cents per bottle, Singer Needles, 10 cents per dozen Singer Shuttles, 25 cents Singer Tuckers, 25 cents Other goods in proportion

At BLUME'S NEW OFFICE.

Decatur, Oct. 7, 1882—d&wtf

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court, December Term, A. D 1882 Edward Craycroft vs. Rebecca Craycroft—Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Rebecca Craycroft, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of the county of Macon, public notice is hereby given to the said Rebecca Craycroft that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1882, as is by law required, and that said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

E McCLELLAN, Clerk

W. C. JOHNS, Complainant's Solicitor
Oct. 19—d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
County of Macon, }

In the Circuit Court to the December Term, A. D 1882.

Margaret Love vs. William Love—In Chancery

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of William Love, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said William Love that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county on the first Monday of December 1882, as is by law required which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk

CHARLES S CAREINS, Complainant's Solicitor
Oct 19—d4w

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

District Court of the United States, Southern District of Illinois, ss:

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment on March 29th, A. D. 1882, as assignee of Silas R. Warrick, of the county of Macon, State of Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition. ISAAC W. EHRMAN, Assignee.

Oct. 13-d3w

W. H. CRINDOL.

Dealer in all kinds of

AMERICAN AND ITALIAN MARBLE

finished up by the very best of skilled workmen, in the latest and best style, which will be sold at very low prices. Call and examine his stock, designs and prices before purchasing elsewhere. He will not be undersold.

Shop in the old Masonic building, northwest corner City Park, Decatur, Ill. jan.14—dy

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A GREAT MANY NEW GOODS THAT PARTICULARLY COMMEND THEMSELVES TO THOSE IN SEARCH OF

WEDDING PRESENTS!

We show you many goods not to be found elsewhere in this city, and at prices so much lower than you can buy them in larger cities, that you are sure to be pleased.

200 PAIRS OF

BRACELETS!

New Styles, and will be sold cheap.

Our Store will be open until 8 o'clock p. m., and 9 o'clock Saturdays, from December 1st until after the holidays. Respectfully,

O. E. Curtis & Co.

Oct 20 d&wtf

NEW FALL STOCK.

ABEL & LOCKE

ARE SELLING BETTER

BRUSSELS & INGRAIN CARPETS

THAN YOU EVER SAW FOR THE MONEY.

Their Store is Full of Novelties in the CARPET, WALL-PAPER and CURTAIN line.

Sept. 20 d&wtf

20 E. Main St.,

POWERS' BLOCK.

We are now located at the above number, where we cordially invite all our friends, customers and the public to call and inspect one of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks of DRY GOODS and MILLINERY in Central Illinois. Prompt attention, good goods and low prices characteristics of this Establishment. Respectfully,

S. G. HATCH & BRO.

Oct. 26-d&wtf

THE

BIG SHOE STORE,

13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

Wholesale and Retail Boots & Shoes.

LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS.

L. L. FERRISS & CO., DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

July 11, 1882—d&wly

ATTENTION, ALL!

D. DUSTMAN,

FURNITURE DEALER

On the North Side of the City Park, is giving the

BEST FURNITURE

For the Least Money of Any House in Decatur.

His Stock is all New. No Second-hand in Stock. Latest Styles Received Daily.

☞ Call and see him, and you cannot fail to be pleased with his goods and prices.

aly 18—d&wd

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier,	15 Cts.
One year, in advance,	$7.00
Six Months, "	3.50
Three Months, "	1.75

THURSDAY EVENING, OCT. 26, 1882.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

LARGEST stock of silver-plated ware in the city, at

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

SHIN-DIG in the first ward to-night.

THE P. P. soiree will occur to-night.

TALK with Springfield by telephone.

REPUBLICAN rallies at Macon and Maroa this evening.

A NEW society of some importance is soon to be formed in Decatur.

You are invited to attend the sociable at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-night.

THE roof has been put on the one-story brick addition to the Palace hotel.

REMEMBER Mexican Palmea is the only thing fit to wash baby buntin in. 24d6

THE country roads 'round about Decatur are in excellent trim.

THE contracting steam fitters have arrived from Chicago and are now at work at the new buildings at the poor farm.

SEE that your name is on the registry book next Tuesday.

THE number of Fred Norman's telephone instrument at the barber shop and steam laundry is 20. Mr. N. will have an instrument put in at his residence.

Go to Peter Ullrich's and order your *coal and wood.* [24-d3w

THE Decatur Tile Company's office is connected with the Decatur exchange by telephone.

GIVE C. B. Prescott a call. He has a full line of the latest sheet music, and musical merchandise generally.

ALL parties having anything to contribute toward the success of the Veterans' camp fire fair at the tab. next week, are requested to leave such articles of food etc. with Commissary Hartley at the tab. during Wednesday, Nov. 1.

FOR solid comfort smoke none but Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars. They are excellent.

THIS evening the ladies of the Baptist church will give a dime sociable at the residence of Mr. James Freeman, on North College street. The public generally is cordially invited to attend. Choice refreshments will be served.

THE ladies extend a cordial invitation to everybody to attend the sociable and festival at the First M. E. Church this evening.

FRESH oysters, celery and fish, received daily at Frank Hall's Oyster Bay, No. 39 North Main street. [Oct. 25-d1f

THE Wabash announces that it is now prepared to receive and forward freight for Des Moines, Iowa, and all other point on the DesMoines division of that road from Albia to and including Eads, Calhoun county, Iowa.

ORDERS left at Peter Ullrich's for coal and wood promptly attended to. [24-d3w

THE great "Buffalo Bill" combination will appear at the opera house next Tuesday night, Oct. 31st. The play will be the new and startling sensational drama, "20 Days, or Buffalo Bill's Pledge." Admission 35, 50 and 75 cents.

MR. JOHN J. DRESBACK, the well-known farmer of Oakley township, has shown us a large sweet potato or yam, that is something of a curiosity. It is a perfect formation, and is red one side and yellow on the other, but it is sweet clear through.

NOVELTIES in fancy colored Hemstitched Handkerchiefs at J. R. RACE & Co.'s. Oct. 25 d6t

BUSINESS at the Decatur Tile Factory is booming. There are now two steam tile machines in operation, together with a patent crusher, and now there is a double force of operators on duty day and night. Thus far this season the company has turned out 20 kilns of tile of all sizes.

FULL supply of Mt. Olive coal always on hand at Ed. Martin's. oct24tf

IT is reported that S. E. Heinlein, at Grove City, has made an assignment to W. W. Anderson & Co. of Taylorville, for the benefit of his creditors. Heinlein was in the drug business. His liabilities are placed at $5,000; assets, $4,000. Heinlein's whereabouts are not positively known, but it is stated that he is now traveling in Montana for a wholesale tobacco house.

THE finest line of blank books and fine stationery in the city at Wallace's. 18 d&wtf

RELIGIOUS services were held at the Church of God last evening. They were conducted by Rev. Coovert, a former pastor of the charge.

PETER ULLRICH'S grocery store is the place to leave your orders for *hard and soft coal.* [oct 24-d3w

THAT pile of brick in front of the academy building on East Eldorado street should be removed at once. The building is finished and the pile is not only unsightly but it is an obstruction to vehicles as well.

FINE steel engravings just received from New York, at A. J. Wallace's book store. Oct. 18 d&wtf.

A WARRANT has been issued by Justice Kizer, at Niantic, for the arrest of William Sitts, who is charged with tapping Frank Martin's till at his store in that town. The amount of money stolen is not stated.

JUST RECEIVED.—Finest line of Fancy Merino Hosiery to be found in the city, at J. R. RACE & Co.'s. oc25d6t

IF ONE HORNET that feels well can break up a whole camp-meeting, what will soap grease toilet articles have to fall back on when the real merits of Mexican Palmea become generally known. 24d6

CALL for Keck & Weigand's fine "Keystone" nickel cigars and the celebrated "10-ers" when you want superb smokers. Oct. 25—d6t

THE Ladies Society of the First M. E. church will give a sociable and festival in the parlor of the church on Thursday evening, October 26th. Oysters and hot coffee will be served from 5 p. m. during the evening. Other refreshments to suit the tastes of all. Vocal and instrumental music and recitations will form an attractive program for the evening. Come and judge for yourselves. Admission free. dtd

See the Latest.

Fine Plush Velvets and Satin Scarfs at J. R. RACE & Co.'s. oc25d6t.

The Tighe Funeral Bill.

Last evening the REPUBLICAN received a call from Coroner Dinneen, who took exception to the statement made in these columns last evening with reference to the charges made for the burial of the late Barney Tighe, who was accidentally killed on a railway. The total amount of the funeral bill was $93, of which sum $75 was charged for a casket. Mr. Dinneen wishes the statement denied that Tighe was buried as a pauper. It was ascertained before the burial that he had money due him on notes, and it was decided by the friends of the deceased to give him a decent burial. We cheerfully give place to Mr. Dinneen's version of the case, which we have reason to believe is correct. The claim that the expenses of the burial were too great, was made in the county court by counsel for Mr. Costello, who brought suit for about $125 against the administrator of the Tighe estate. Mr. Costello was allowed about $78. We learn that the Tighe estate is settled up in full.

Talking with Illiopolis.

This forenoon at 10:45, the REPUBLICAN office was connected by telephone with Dr. Cowdin's drug store at Illiopolis, distant 16 miles west, on the main line of the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific railway. The party calling for the REPUBLICAN'S number was Mr. Z. T. Hotchkiss, the Superintendent of the Central Illinois Telephone Company, who is engaged in directing the work of building a telephone line to connect Decatur with Springfield and all intervening towns on the Wabash road. Mr. Hotchkiss could be plainly heard, and a very satisfactory conversation was carried on for about two minutes. He stated that he had placed an instrument in Peck & Chamberlain's store at Harristown, and one in Dr. Rice's office at Niantic. The line will be completed to Springfield this afternoon, and those wishing to talk at long range can do so by calling up the lady in charge of the Decatur exchange. The rate is 15 cents for a five minutes' conversation to any point in Macon county, and 20 cents for five minutes to any point outside of the county, either at Springfield, Lincoln, Peoria or Bloomington.

A Card.

We wish to inform the citizens of Macon county that the article in yesterday's issue referring to the funeral supplies for the late Barney Tighe ordered under the direction of Coroner Dinneen were not furnished by Radcliff & Bullard. We have constantly on hand a full line of undertaker's supplies, grading from the cheapest to the most expensive. Teams, hearses and carriages, the best in central Illinois, at customary prices. Night calls at our place of business by telephone or otherwise, will have our prompt personal attention. RADCLIFF & BULLARD. 26 d1

THE following named ladies, who were attired as described, attended the marriage of Miss Ella Cullom, daughter of Governor Cullom, and William B. Ridgely, at the mansion at Springfield, on Tuesday evening: Mrs. R. J. Oglesby, elegant ruby velvet and diamonds; Miss Oglesby, Lincoln, heavy white corded silk, embroidered trimmings: Mrs. Robert Latham, Lincoln, royal purple velvet, point lace and diamonds; Miss Bertie Latham, Lincoln, cream satin d'Marvelleux, elegant pearl embroidery; pearls; Miss May Latham, white silk, en traine; Miss Gillette, Elkhart, very elegant white brocaded satin, embroidery of pearls; diamond ornaments.

MR. GEORGE BRETT is now in charge of the gymnasium at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. He has consented to give instructions for the year, beginning on Wednesday, Nov. 1, spending two hours on each of the three evenings of the week with classes. One evening will be devoted to the smaller boys and two to the young men. Tickets for boys $1.00 each; for young men, $2.00 each. This amounts to one cent an hour for instructions and use of rooms. Mr. Brett is a good teacher of gymnastic exercises, and no doubt he will have large classes during the year.

THE prisoners in the county jail have frequently made attempts to escape, but Sheriff Foster and his turnkey have thus far frustrated all the schemes cooked up by the alleged criminals to regain their liberty. Mr. Foster is always on the alert and allows no guilty man to escape. During his administration of the office of sheriff he has held every prisoner committed to his custody and has not permitted one to get away unless discharged by due process of law. There are now 18 prisoners in the jail.

DECATUR is now connected with Harristown and Niantic by telephone, and all other towns west, including Springfield, have fallen into line. A Decatur citizen the other day remarked that he was anxious to have the line completed to Springfield because he wanted to spend just 20 cents to give a fellow in that town a good "cussing." He thought it would be perfectly safe at this distance to give the party a benefit.

A REPORTER visited the Macon county poor farm on yesterday and found the new brick building under roof, with a large force of men inside fixing up the many apartments ready for occupancy. The structure is substantially built of brick that were molded and burnt on the farm.

LAST evening Thomas Lee had James H. Jackson arrested for obtaining $1.00 from him under false pretenses. Justice McGorray admitted Jackson to bail in the sum of $25, and continued the examination until the 27th.

THE cigarmakers will have a big crowd at their annual hop at Guards' Armory tomorrow night. The grand march will be called at 9 o'clock by Manager Fribourg. Excellent music has been engaged for the dance.

THE sale of farm implements, cattle, horses, etc., on the farm of Bryant Nowlin, six miles east of Decatur, was largely attended by buyers from Macon and Moultrie counties, and good prices were realized.

THE ladies are requested not to forget the meeting in the City Hall at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon to hear report of canvassing committee and to complete arrangements for the Soldiers' Camp Fire.

CARPENTERS receive $2.86 per week for sixty-six hours' work in Dusseldorf, Germany. That is the sort of wages free traders desire American mechanics to receive.

Hoffman Against Robinson.

The Hoffman case is to receive a thorough ventilation in the circuit court at Bloomington. ex-Rev. H. O. Hoffman on yesterday afternoon having brought suit against Zetella C. Robinson, charging her with malicious defamation of character. The damages are placed at $5,000. The Robinsons are poor people, and a judgment will be of no value. The object of the suit is the vindication of Hoffman's character. He will be represented by Capt. J. H. Rowell, Lieut. Gov. Hamilton and Stevenson & Ewing. It is represented that the Robinson girl is not friendless, and that she will have plenty of backing. Referring to the case the Bloomington *Leader* says: "Ever since the charge of adultery preferred by Zetella C. Robinson against H. O. Hoffman there has been a desire among friends of both parties to the case, especially of Mr. Hoffman, to have a civil court investigation. Particularly is this true since the Lincoln conference trial, as there are certain of Mr. Hoffman's friends who will never be convinced that such a matter can be thoroughly sifted in an ecclesiastical tribunal. It now appears that these wishes are to be speedily gratified, and that if there is anything in the case that Mr. Hoffman has not had the advantage of, it will in all probability come to light. At all events, the final result will be watched with much interest, not only by the friends of the contestants but by the members of the Methodist church and congregation and the public in general." The case is docketed for the November term of court.

PERSONAL MENTION.

S. G. Malone and Edward Piper are at Danville as witnesses in the Funk case.

Mrs. Amos Camp, of Chicago, is the guest of E. McClellan and family.

J. A. Miller is expected home from the far east in a few days.

Capt. J. S. Post and Marshal Hewes testified in the Funk case at Danville yesterday.

A new baby boy is the present joy of the folks at the Hickory Grove farm north of the city four miles.

Mrs. Al. Henkle, of Springfield, is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Shellabarger.

Aleck Nebinger, of the firm of Nebinger & Reeser, left this morning for Litchfield to look after the interests of the firm's tile and brick factory.

Rev. W. R. Coovert, formerly pastor of the Church of God, this city, paid us a call yesterday. He is now stationed at Pittsburgh, Pa.

John Freeman arrived home from Shelbyville this morning. He reports politics in Shelby county quiet, and Judge Thornton happy in his old home.

Miss Lillian Seidmore, a distinguishep journalist of Washington, will arrive in the city this evening, and during her stay will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Johns.

Monticello *Herald*: Miss Clara Stephenson and Mrs. M. Major, of Decatur, are in town to pay a short visit to friends in this city and vicinity.

Rev. and Mrs. D. P. Bunn departed for Monticello this afternoon. They will be absent a week. Rev. B. will preach north of Urbana on Sunday.

Ormond H. Butler, agent for "Buffalo Bill," is a guest at the St. Nicholas Hotel. "Bill" will be at the opera house with his troupe next Tuesday night.

Frank Payne is enjoying a visit from his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam. C. King, of Muskingum county, Ohio, who are accompanied by Mrs. Geo. King, of the same place.

Miss Ella Tupper has returned home from a tour through Wisconsin, where she created a sensation as a dramatic reader. Miss Tupper is favorably known here as a gifted elocutionist, and we are pleased to note her success.

Amos Howenstine, who has been "doing" the west, held down a chair in the REPUBLICAN sanctum for a few minutes this forenoon. Amos has been home for two weeks, but owing to illness he has been unable to come up town until today.

Urbana *Herald*: Judge C. B. Smith left last Monday to attend a family reunion at the residence of his father in Muncie, Indiana. Two sisters from Saint Louis, one from Washington, D. C., and Capt. T. J. Smith and sister, of Champaign, will also be in attendance. The Judge, with his wife and daughter, returned in time to attend the wedding of Governor Cullom's daughter at Springfield.

Mr. Robert Downing, of Washington, is in the city visiting Judge Greer's family. Mr. D. is a member of Miss Mary Anderson's company, and is spending a brief vacation here. A morning paper referred to him as "Mr. Anderson," but his connection with the dramatic company referred to has not as yet resulted in the changing of any names, and when it does let us hope that the metamorphosis will be in the other direction.

Ex-Rev. H. O. Hoffman, who has been closely closeted ever since the termination of his trial at Lincoln a few weeks since, is now on his way to the new Northwest. On Tuesday morning at Bloomington he purchased his ticket for Salem, Dakota, over the Illinois Central road, and was numbered among the many excursionists who took advantage of cheap rates to get a glimpse of the great rush to Dakota. Mr. Hoffman's future probably has been revealed to no one other than himself, and the result of his trip remains to be seen.

I. H. Wilson, superintendent of the Peoria division of the I. B. & W., has had another deserved promotion. He now occupies the position of general superintendent of the I., B. & W., which took effect on the 20th inst. Mr. Wilson was a brave soldier and has on his own merits rapidly risen until he now occupies one of the most important positions on the road. The large number of railroad men on the I. B. & W. and other roads who have had business with him will fully acquiesce in the wisdom exhibited by Mr. Henderson, the general manager, in the appointment.

THE small stars with their borrowed light are to the great comet which rides in such splendor across the midnight sky, challenging the wonder and admiration of the world, what the Honey, Glycerine, Bouquet, nice-looking, soap-grease toilet articles are when compared with Mexican Palmea, which leaves its mark of purity and worth on each face it cleanses, on its rapid march to fame. 24d6

"GRAVEYARD INSURANCE."

Another Company Comes to Grief—A Few Sample Cases.

Our people have had more or less experience with new born "life insurance" companies, and the following from the Bloomington *Pantagraph* of yesterday will be of interest to local agents of reliable companies and all persons holding policies in the same: "From long accounts of the fraudulent graveyard insurance company, that has been operating in Illinois under the name of the State Capital Life Association, of Springfield, Ill., we learn that the concern has been operating more largely perhaps in McLean county than in any other part of the state. The company operated mainly in the rural districts, and it has been ascertained that Simpson and his subagents procured about 100 policies in the neighborhood of Heyworth. Several fraudulent transactions of the concern in that locality have come to the knowledge of the insurance department. It is stated that two policies amounting to $5,000 were issued on the life of Peter Albrecht, aged 82 who is said to be a resident of Germany, and therefore could not become a member of the association. The policies were made payable to Frederick C. Mielke, of Tolono, a grandson of Albrecht. A policy of $5000 was issued to Nilfred Hancock, of Heyworth, payable to Albert Newton, a sub-agent of the company, and in no way related to the insured, while the concern is only authorized by law to collect assessments for the benefit of the widows, orphans and heirs of the deceased members. Mrs. Hancock was on her death bed when this policy was issued and died two weeks later, and the policy was issued without the knowledge of Mrs. Hancock or her husband. Policies were issued on the life of J. B. Lewis, of Heyworth, in favor of Hiram Daniels for $3000. The company was organized by Prof. Blackwell, who was once a preacher in Coles county, but who was fired from the ministry for alleged crookedness."

THE "grandest excursion of the season" was that over the Wabash and Hannibal & St. Joe roads, from Decatur to Kansas City, on Tuesday last. The train left Decatur at 4 o'clock and arrived at Quincy on time. Had to wait three hours for the C., B. & Q. train, and arrived in Kansas City only three-quarters of an hour late. There were 10 coaches in the train as it pulled into Kansas City with 300 passengers on board, 82 of whom got on at Decatur. W. R. Woodard, general superintendent, made all eastbound trains sidetrack and give the excursionists the right of way. Tom Bivins, excursion agent for the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Gulf R. R., and C. W. Boardman, traveling agent for the H. & St. Joe, went along with the excursionists and looked after their comfort. Everybody aboard was well pleased with the trip. All connections en route were made as advertised.

G. A. R. Meeting.

There will be a called meeting of Dunham Post No. 141, G. A. R., on Friday night, Oct. 27th, instead of this, Thursday, evening.

R. P. LYTLE, Commander.
G. R. STEEL, Adj't.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Experience of fifty years in this and other States has fully demonstrated that Mutual Fire Insurance is the cheapest and consequently the best. THE COMMONWEALTH MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Decatur, Illinois, is organized under this basis, having for incorporators some of the most successful business men of Decatur, who have tested fully the Mutual plan of Fire Insurance; and being desirous of keeping the money at home instead of paying it to foreign corporations, they have freely given their experience, time and labor to the formation of *The Commonwealth Mutual Fire Insurance Company,* in order that the people of this section may derive all the benefits of such an institution and the additional benefit of keeping the Insurance money at home. The Mutual system of Fire Insurance creates a *personal interest* in every policy holder, as every one who insures has an equal voice in its management. This is the surest guarantee the public can have, that the affairs of the Company will be managed solely in the interest of the policy holders.

Those wishing Insurance will please call at once, or address the Company at its office in "Central Block," where the Secretary or General Inspector will be pleased to write up any Insurance you may desire to place with *The Commonwealth Mutual Fire Insurance Company,* of Decatur, Ill.

JAS. W. HAWORTH,
P. LOEB,
W. H. LINN,
D. S. SHELLABARGER,
B. Z. TAYLOR,
Executive Committee.

Oct. 13 d&wtf.

Notice.

The undersigned banks and bankers of Decatur, Illinois, will close at 3 o'clock p. m., instead of 4, on and after Nov. 1, 1882.

J. MILLIKIN & Co.
PEDDECORD, BURROWS & Co.
THE DECATUR NATIONAL BANK.

19-d2w

Pump for Sale.

The Holly pump at the city water works, which is to be replaced by another of greater capacity, is for sale at a very low figure and at reasonable terms. The pump is all complete and in good working order. Apply to the Mayor or W. H. Bramble, chairman of fire and water committee. Oct. 14-dtf

GO TO Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 21dtf

IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's. Dec. 18—d&wtf

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at Wheer & Armstrong's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day.

CHICAGO, Oct 26

WHEAT—93¼ Oct; 94 Nov; 97⅞ Dec; 93⅛ Year; —— May.
CORN—68 Oct; 67⅞ Nov; —— Dec; 60¼ year; 54¼ May.
OATS—35 Oct; 33⅞ Nov; 33⅞ Year; 35¼ May.
PORK—$19.35 Nov; —— Dec $18.70 Jan
LARD—$11.30 Nov; —— Dec; $11.10 Jan.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

HOGS—Estimated receipts, 17,000; shipments, 6,316, live hogs, $6.20@$6.90; mixed, $6.30@$6.90; heavy, $6.90@$7.60; cattle receipts, 10,000.

	Receipts.	Shipments.	Car Lots.
WHEAT	76,616	23,001	328
CORN	161,330	10,210	262
OATS	77,988	72,978	155
RYE	14,761	4,560	32

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.

WHEAT—$1.08⅞ Oct; $1.10 Nov; $1.07⅞ Dec; $1.11½ Year.
CORN—63⅝ Oct; 66 Nov; 73¼ Dec; 72¼ Year.

TOLEDO, Oct. 26.

WHEAT—98½ Oct.; 98⅝ Nov; 99⅞ Dec; 98⅝ Year.
CORN—60⅞ Oct; 63½ Nov; 53⅝ Dec; 57 Year.

DRY GOODS,

Oil Cloths, Window Shades, Upholstery and Lambrequin Materials, Mattings, Lace Curtains, Wall Paper, and

CARPETS.

NEW, ELEGANT AND ATTRACTIVE

FOREIGN DRESS GOODS,

Silk and Cloth Wraps, Silk Plushes & Velvets.

The Largest, Cheapest and Best Assortment of

HOSIERY, GLOVES AND CORSETS

IN THIS MARKET.

Ladies' Children's and Gent's Underwear. Fancy Goods, Ribbons and Dress Trimmings. Flannels, Yarns and Blankets. Cassimeres, Denims and Cheviots. Calicoes, Bleached and Brown Muslins, Tickings, Table Linens, Towels, Napkins and Housekeeping Goods of every description.

BE CAREFUL to NOTE the FACT that we sell MORE GOODS than any house in the United States according to population, which plainly indicates that the PEOPLE fully appreciate the advantages offered by us, in variety, quality and cheapness of our goods.

Linn & Scruggs,

AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.

Decatur, September 22, 1882—d&wtf

Decatur's One-Price

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June 25, 1882-dly

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss
In the Circuit Court to December Term, 1882.
Charles M. Pence vs Maggie B. Pence—In Chancery—Bill for Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT that the place of residence or whereabouts of Maggie B. Pence, the defendant in the above cause is not known, and that upon due and diligent inquiry her place of residence or whereabous cannot be ascertained having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Maggie B. Pence, the defendant in said cause, that the said complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof to the December term, 1882, of of said court, against you, the said defendant, and that a summons in said cause has been issued against you, the said defendant, returnable at the court house in Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the first Monday in December, 1882, as by law required, and that said cause is still pending and undetermined in said court. And unless you, the said defendant, appear before the said court on the first day of the December term thereof, 1882, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
H. PASCO, Complainant's Solicitor.
Oct. 24, 1882 -d4w

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In the Circuit Court, December Term, 1882
Martha J. Brown vs Andrew L. Brown—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendant, Andrew L. Brown, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is hereby given to the said Andrew L. Brown that the above-named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said Andrew L. Brown, the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the court to be held at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1882, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said Court.
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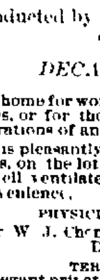

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Aug. 3—d&w6m.

The Daily Republican.

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

—At the end of the first year Dr. Sozinsky says that on an average a child should be thirty inches high and should weigh twenty-five pounds.

—A useful packing for steam engines, dumps, etc., is at present made by thoroughly incorporating paper pulp with plumbago, and subsequently forming it under strong pressure, into sheets or rolls.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—It seems to be a difficult matter to make the floors of brick or stone bridges water-tight. The best remedy is to lay a coating of asphalt over the arches and to make proper channels to carry the water away.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—A rail for common roads has been introduced in France. It is imbedded in concrete and is flush at the edges with the roadway. From the sides it slopes down to the center, so as to enable the wheels of vehicles to retain their place upon it. The estimated cost is about $2 a yard.

—A new explosive is reported to have been invented by a Viennese engineer. It contains neither sulphuric acid, nitric acid, nor nitro-glycerine. Its manufacture is simple and without danger, and it preserves its qualities in the coldest or hottest weather. It can be made at 40 per cent. less cost than gunpowder.

—A Detroit man has, after a labor of two years, perfected a machine to make needles, which will usurp hand labor in that direction, and which promises to revolutionize the manufacture of that much used article. It is estimated that not less than 2,000,000 of needles are used per day throughout the United States alone. A company has been organized in Brooklyn.—*N. Y. Times.*

—Milk when heated in closed vessels to a temperature of 75 degrees Centigrade remains sweet for ninety-six hours. If the vessel is opened sourness occurs after forty-eight hours. If the milk is heated in the open air it remains sweet only twenty-four hours. A temperature of between 50 and 60 degrees does not alter the taste of milk, and if it be curdled at this temperature the curd is flocculent.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—Helmuth Dueburg, of Berlin, has come to the conclusion that the side of the moon which is continually turned from the earth possesses air, water and life. His idea is that in the absence of any centrifugal force due to rotation on her own axis, the only centrifugal force acting upon the moon must be that resulting from her own motion round the earth. This would tend to throw the moon's air and water to the side opposite to that which is always toward the earth.

—The electric lamp, designed for producing intermittent luminous signals, is described in foreign journals. A cam motion is used, by which the carbons are separated at each revolution, and can be operated by clock-work for regular signals, or by hand for irregular ones. According to the preferred mode, the rim of the homogeneous car wheel, as it is called, is cast from melted scraps of wrought iron and steel. When "set," it is taken from the mold and placed in another, the center piece cast of best wheel iron, and the two metals firmly wedded together. —*N. Y. Sun.*

Catching a Crab.

A San Francisco correspondent writes: They tell a story of a would-be funny broker, who last season adopted a most fiendish method of getting even with one of the chronic flirts who are said to make the piazzas here lively later in the season. He obtained half a dozen energetic crabs from the fishing beach, and, watching for an opportunity when no one was in a particular tank, except the inconstant fair object of his vengeance, he dropped in the crustaceans (way up term for crab). The young lady continued her natatorial exercises (jam up for paddling) a few minutes longer, when she suddenly uttered a blood-curdling shriek, and was helped up the ladder with a crab hanging on her pink little toe. She had several consecutive epileptic fits while the marine corn doctor was being removed. The Mephistophelean glee of the broker, however, gave him away, and for fear of some counter trick he decided to bathe early in the morning thereafter. A few days after that the bath-house keeper was startled by some terrific yells, and, hastily entering the tank house, he beheld the broker floundering out with a big, jagged-toothed spring rat-trap clenched on his heel.

"Who the dickens put this horrible thing in the water?" roared the broker.

"I did, sir," sweetly replied the crabbed young lady aforementioned, stepping out of a bath-room "I put it there to catch those horrid crabs, you know."

The broker went home on a crutch.

Woman's True Friend.

A friend in need is a friend indeed. This none can deny, especially when assistance is rendered when one is sorely afflicted with disease, more particularly those complaints and weaknesses so common to our female population. Every woman should know that Electric Bitters are woman's true friend, and will positively restore her to health, even when all other remedies fail. A single trial always proves our assertion. They are pleasant to the taste, and only cost 50 cents a bottle. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. d&w 2

A Gentle Voice

Our enterprising druggist, Dr. A. J. Stoner, has secured the agency for the sale of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which has no superior for coughs, colds, consumption, whooping-cough, and all throat and lung diseases. To prove to you it has no equal, call at A. J. Stoner's drug store and get a bottle free. 2

C. F. Bachman & Bro

If you wish to get value received call on C. F. Bachman & Bro. They keep a full line of Bed Room Suits, Parlor Suits, Book Cases, Mattresses, Spring Beds, Chairs, etc. Also the celebrated Superior Cook Stove, the best in the world; every stove fully guaranteed. Remember the place and give them a call. Sign of the Big Elephant, south of the Park.
April 7-d&wly

SAVE MONEY and buy Clothing, Hats, Caps, Furnishing Goods, etc., at the Decatur One Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring Establishment. The stock is large, the price is small. [7-d&wtf

ORDER soft nut coal of F. D. Caldwell and he will deliver it to you nicely screened. Office with American Express Co.
March 23-dtf

FACTS INDISPUTABLE.

Everybody knows, who has tried, and those who have not should call at once and be convinced, that we sell BETTER GOODS for LESS MONEY than any other house in the city.

Sep7-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY, Renowned Clothier.

THE finest line of Piece Goods, comprising all grades of cloths, cassimeres and worsted, which will be made up to order in the most fashionable style, are just received at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. [Sep 7-d&wtf

Time Tries All.

So it does, and in cases of dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, kidney and liver complaints, biliousness, etc., BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS have been proved by many a trial to be a reliable cure. Price $1.00. 24

Fashion Items.

Bronze and crimson form a fashionable combination.

Miles of satin or moire ribbon are frequently used upon an elaborately trimmed evening dress of the latest make.

A witty communication upon the present styles says that there is but little difference between the picture of a mediæval saint and a modern fashionable sinner.

Narrow braid, in silver or gold, is much used for trimming cloth dresses of a monochrome color. Ever so little of this garniture goes a great way in effect. An unsparing use of it is gaudy in the extreme

The new shade of royal cardinal promises to be a leading color this fall.

Plain velvet is now considered much "smarter" than that which is ribbed, brocaded or striped.

Black velvet, striped and beaded grenadine, worn over a short underskirt of plain black velvet, makes an elegant summer toilet for a cool evening at the seaside.

Lace flounces and frills, and also muslin embroideries, look well when placed over thin colored materials, such as batiste and India muslin. The tone given by these semi-transparent fabrics is much more delicate than where silk is employed as a foundation.

It is quite the fashion for ladies at the seashore to provide themselves with a long scarf of cream-white crape gauze, which the lady winds once around her hat, and twice around her neck. This protects her face, makes a light, agreeable covering for her throat, and helps to keep her wavy tresses of hair in crimp—a trio of advantages not to be overlooked.

A new and extremely beautiful shade of golden brown promises to eclipse all other colors in popular favor for autumn dinner or carriage costumes. In combination dresses of satin and velvet, this color in its most golden hue for the satin fabric and a deeper shade for the velvet, forms a most ladylike and effective toilet, either for the street or the drawing-room.

A lovely little French bonnet sent over as a model to a noted American importer is made of primrose-colored crepe and laurel green velvet. The brim is edged with three rows of iridescent beads, which send forth opalescent lights of gold, pink, pearl and emerald. The crown of the hat is partly covered by soft laurel-green ostrich tips, and underneath these peep forth a cluster of pale pink poppies. The strings are of laurel green velvet, lined with primrose satin.

Some of the new autumn walking costumes of tweed are decidedly masculine in style, showing a white under-waistcoat, cutaway coat, fastened just below the chest with one button, a standing collar, with round gold collar-button, and linen cuffs held together by large gold links of huge cuff-buttons, and, crowning all, a jaunty English, low-crowned derby hat, devoid of trimming of any sort. Many English girls go a step further than the Yankee girl dares to, and carry a slender ebony cane.

Gloves are as long as ever, and the tan-colored variety are still worn with full evening dress. This odd fashion is far from the purest or best taste, but nevertheless it is in the height of style, and we are aware what violent objections and fierce criticisms may be overruled by this magical assurance. Critically, however, these gloves, dark and ugly in shade, and looking especially so when worn in conjunction with pure white and other delicate evening toilets, are really neither appropriate, becoming, nor pretty.

Extremely light summer cashmere is much used as flounces or kilting over silk foundations. The flounces are often arranged in wide, hollow plaits, very much open at the foot of the skirt, so as to show the bright lining of a contrasting color. Around the bottom of others there is a thick ruche of the cashmere, lined with silk. In the latter case the panniers are of cashmere, faced with silk, and the bodice is of silk, with cashmere trimmings—plastron, or vest, collar and revers. A small cashmere pelerine completes the costume, and renders any extra mantle unnecessary.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

—The extreme cold of last winter, and the unusual floats of Greenland ice that have blocked the harbors and prevented navigation, have brought about a terrible condition of affairs in Iceland. They are on the verge of a great famine, and the Governor of Iceland appeals for help to other nations.—*Christian Union.*

—Home made jelly glasses: Select good-sized bottles. Take a strip of old muslin or a piece of candle wick, dip it in lamp oil, wrap it around the bottle where you want it to break, set it on fire and the glass will crack just above the cloth.—*Prairie Farmer.*

—The other afternoon a horde of winged ants took possession of the foundry building, beyond the Tucson depot, in Arizona, and drove the workmen from the premises. These annoying insects entered through the doors, windows, and skylight, and quickly covered the floor and walls, as well as every article in the apartment. The inmates were covered from head to foot, and it was only by hard fighting after reaching the open air that the pests were set to flight.

A Vexed Clergyman.

Even the patience of Job would become exhausted were he a preacher and endeavoring to interest his audience while they were keeping up an incessant coughing, making it impossible for him to be heard. Yet how very easy can all this be avoided by simply using Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Trial bottles given away at Hubbard & Swearingen's Drug Store. d&w 2

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Everybody knows what red clover is. It has been used many years by the good old German women and physicians for the blood, and is known as the best blood purifier when properly prepared. Combined with other medicinal herbs and roots it forms Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which is good for all blood disorders, torpid liver, costiveness and sick headache. Sure cure for pimples. Ask Dr. A. J. Stoner, the druggist, for it. Only 50 cents a bottle. 2

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Sept. 7-d&wtf

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A discovery has recently been made which adds luster to the Nineteenth Century. It consists simply in an extract from the Red Clover Blossom, as extracted by J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich. who have gone into the business largely in order to supply the increasing demand. For sale by Dr. A. J. STONER.

A slight testimonial:

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J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich.:

Gentlemen—My wife has for some time been afflicted with something like a scrofulous disease, and found no relief until she gave your Extract of Red Clover a trial. I am happy to say she has experienced great relief. This is but a slight testimonial of my appreciation of your efforts in behalf of humanity, which you are welcome to use for their benefit. I am very respectfully, H. ARMS.
Feb. 3, 1882—d&wlyr

OUR PRICES are THE LOWEST, and our stock is the *Largest, Newest* and *Best.* Come and we will prove it.
Sep7-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

ACTUAL RESULTS.

DECATUR, ILL., Oct. 10, 1882.

Messrs. WARREN & DURFEE, Agents Equitable Life Assurance Society, New York, Decatur, Ill.:

Gentlemen: I have to acknowledge the receipt through you of $272.51 from the Society, in prompt compliance with its contract, that amount being the cash value of my Equitable Life Tontine Policy No. 75,179, at the close of the Tontine period of ten years, October 1, 1882. The result is highly satisfactory to me. The cost of the policy, which in case of my demise during said term would have been worth just $1000 cash to my wife, has been only $64.69 *for the term*, an average of *only* $6.47 *per year.* I am aware that either of the other methods of settlement placed at my option by the Society would be as profitable to me as the one chosen, the only difference being that the settlement selected suits my circumstances better. In any case, I can with the utmost candor say that I know of no insurance that affords so great a return for the money invested as a Tontine Policy in the Equitable Life Assurance Society of New York.

Very respectfully yours,
Oct. 16—dtf FRANCIS S. GRIMES.

In explanation of the foregoing letter, we add the following:

Dr. F. S. Grimes took out the said policy at the age of 42:

Annual premium	$ 33 72
Total premiums paid in the 10 years	337 20
Cash paid him upon surrender of policy	272 51
Total cost of his ten years' insurance, waiving interest	64 69

The other plans of settlement equivalent thereto, that he had the choice of, were as follows:

A paid-up policy for	$500 00
Paid up insurance, to be added to old policy if continued	207 00
Or, reserve, retained for old policy	170 10
Surplus, payable to assured in cash	101 52
Or, surplus will pay one year's premium and purchase an annuity for life of	5 53
To which add probable dividend of 1883,	9 17
Total dividend	$ 14 70

Which would be 44 per cent. of his annual premium.

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Total cash val.—81 " " "
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Respectfully submitted,
WARREN & DURFEE, Agents

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F. D. Caldwell has plenty of the very best of Lackawana hard coal; also Decatur coal, both lump and nut. All coal nicely screened. Office with American Express Co., three doors west of post office. [Sept. 19-dtf

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Sept. 23-dtf

FOR good-fitting and well-trimmed, well-made suits, see Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square.
Sept 7-d&wtf

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Far exceeds that of any other dealer. Our styles are the latest and of the BEST MANUFACTURE, and *Our Prices* so far below those of all competitors, that we are sure of taking the trade every time.
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The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. [April 3-d&wly

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Sep7-d&wtf

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By thorough and rapid assimilation with the blood, it reaches every part of the system, healing, purifying and strengthening. Commencing at the foundation it builds up and restores lost health—in no other way can lasting benefit be obtained

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I have been a great sufferer from a very weak stomach, heartburn, and dyspepsia in its worst form. Nearly everything I ate gave me distress, and I could eat but little. I have tried everything recommended, have taken the prescriptions of a dozen physicians, but got no relief until I took Brown's Iron Bitters. I feel none of the old troubles, and am a new man. I am getting much stronger, and feel first-rate. I am a railroad engineer, and now make my trips regularly. I can not say too much in praise of your wonderful medicine. D. C. MACK.

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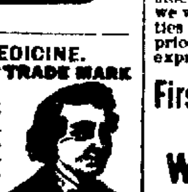

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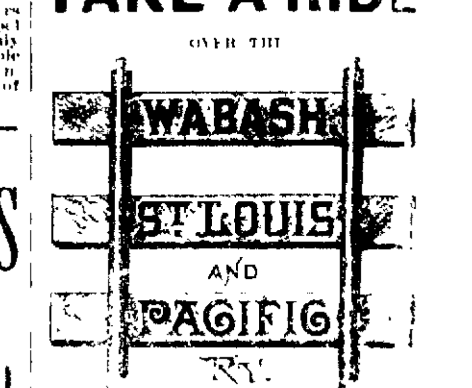

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On and after Sunday, May 15th 1881 trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement

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No. 48 Chicago Express	12 25 a. m.
" 40 Through Express	7 15 a. m.
" 44 Chicago Mail	12 15 p. m.

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No. 47, St. Louis Express	[illegible] a. m.
" 41 St. Louis Mail	[illegible] p. m.
" 41 Through Express	[illegible] p. m.

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST

No. 1 St. Louis Express	[illegible] a. m.
" 45 Fast Line	[illegible] a. m.
" 41 Decatur and St. Louis Accom.,	[illegible] a. m.
45 Fast Mail	3 50 p. m.

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS

No. 48 Chicago Express	12 [illegible] a. m.
" 44 Atlantic Express	11 55 a. m.
" , St. Louis and Decatur Accom.,	9[illegible] p. m.
" 42, Lightning Express	10 40 p. m.

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division

Going West	7 30 a. m.
Arrive from West	7 00 p. m.

Champaign Division

Arrive from East	10 40 a. m.
Leave for Champaign	20 [illegible] p. m.

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Decatur Ill., April 23, 1882

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Sept. 3, 1882.

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	8 08 a. m.
Accommodation	3:40 p. m.
Freight	4 [illegible]

GOING SOUTH

Accommodation	10 [illegible] a. m.
Passenger,	25 [illegible] p. m.
Freight,	9.50 a. m.

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Mail and Express No. 22	12 15 p. m.
Night Express No. 24	11 00 p. m.
Way Freight No. 26	6 00 a. m.
Mixed and Stock Train No. 30	5 50 p. m.

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Mail and Day Express No. 21.	2 00 p. m.
Night Express No. 23.	4 30 a. m.
Way Freight No. 25	7 30 p. m.
Through Freight and mixed train No. 29,	8 15 a. m.

J. H. WILSON, Sup't
C. E. HENDERSON, Gen'l Man.
Decatur, Ill., April 10, 1882

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Sunday, April 9th, 1882, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

Going East—Arrive, Mail & Express	7 40 p. m.
" " Leave " "	6 40 a. m.
" West Arrive " "	7 55 p. m.
" " Leave " "	6:45 a. m.

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